



## **BEARFACTS 1995 – 2005**

### **Yazoo , Mississippi [28163]**

Yazoo is one of 82 counties in Mississippi. It is part of the Yazoo City, MS Micropolitan SA. Its 2005 population of 27,336 ranked 35th in the state.

#### **PER CAPITA PERSONAL INCOME**

In 2005 Yazoo had a per capita personal income (PCPI) of \$22,428. This PCPI ranked 40th in the state and was 88 percent of the state average, \$25,490, and 65 percent of the national average, \$34,757. The 2005 PCPI reflected an increase of 8.3 percent from 2004. The 2004-2005 state change was 5.6 percent and the national change was 4.9 percent. In 1995 the PCPI of Yazoo was \$14,946 and ranked 43rd in the state. The 1995-2005 average annual growth rate of PCPI was 4.1 percent. The average annual growth rate for the state was 4.2 percent and for the nation was 4.2 percent.

#### **TOTAL PERSONAL INCOME**

In 2005 Yazoo had a total personal income (TPI) of \$613,096\*. This TPI ranked 35th in the state and accounted for 0.8 percent of the state total. In 1995 the TPI of Yazoo was \$388,110\* and ranked 34th in the state. The 2005 TPI reflected an increase of 6.5 percent from 2004. The 2004-2005 state change was 6.1 percent and the national change was 5.9 percent. The 1995-2005 average annual growth rate of TPI was 4.7 percent. The average annual growth rate for the state was 4.9 percent and for the nation was 5.3 percent.

#### **COMPONENTS OF TOTAL PERSONAL INCOME**

Total personal income includes net earnings by place of residence; dividends, interest, and rent; and personal current transfer receipts received by the residents of Yazoo. In 2005 net earnings accounted for 56.7 percent of TPI (compared with 57.1 in 1995); dividends, interest, and rent were 14.1 percent (compared with 16.2 in 1995); and personal current transfer receipts were 29.2 percent (compared with 26.8 in 1995). From 2004 to 2005 net earnings increased 6.4 percent; dividends, interest, and rent increased 0.3 percent; and personal current transfer receipts increased 9.9 percent. From 1995 to 2005 net earnings increased on average 4.6 percent each year; dividends, interest, and rent increased on average 3.3 percent; and personal current transfer receipts increased on average 5.6 percent.

#### **EARNINGS BY PLACE OF WORK**

Earnings of persons employed in Yazoo increased from \$316,067\* in 2004 to \$338,223\* in 2005, an increase of 7.0 percent. The 2004-2005 state change was 3.7 percent and the national change was 5.4 percent. The average annual growth rate from the 1995 estimate of \$226,708\* to the 2005 estimate was 4.1 percent. The average annual growth rate for the state was 4.5 percent and for the nation was 5.5 percent.

*\*Note: All income estimates with the exception of PCPI are in thousands of dollars, not adjusted for inflation.*

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